

Form PTO 1449 (Modified)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO. 248419US0		SERIAL NO. <i>10/1784,872</i> New Application	
LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT		APPLICANT					
		Tomoyuki SHIMADA, et al.					
		FILING DATE		Herewith <i>2-24-04</i>		GROUP <i>1756</i>	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	6,596,449	07/22/03	Shimada et al			
<i>m.c.</i>	AB	6,492,079	12/10/02	Shimada et al			
<i>m.c.</i>	AC	6,548,216	04/15/03	Kawamura et al			
<i>m.c.</i>	AD	6,544,701	04/08/03	Tadokoro et al			
<i>m.c.</i>	AE	6,450,040	10/15/02	Tadokoro et al	<i>wrong citation</i>		
<i>m.c.</i>	AF	6,524,761	02/25/03	Shimada et al			
<i>m.c.</i>	AG	6,313,288	11/06/01	Shimada et al			
<i>m.c.</i>	AH	6,136,483	10/24/00	Suzuki et al			
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION		
	AO	2000-231204	08/22/00	Japan w/English Abstract	YES	NO	
<i>m.c.</i>	AP	03-096961	04/22/91	Japan w/English Abstract			
<i>m.c.</i>	AQ	60-196768	10/05/85	Japan w/English Abstract			
	AR						
	AS						
	AT						
	AU						
	AV						
OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)							
	AW						
	AX						
	AY						
	AZ	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional References sheet(s) attached					
Examiner <i>m.c. Og</i>				Date Considered <i>1/06</i>			
*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.							



Form PTO 1449 (Modified)		U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO. 248419US0			SERIAL NO. 10/784,872
LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT				APPLICANT Tomoyuki SHIMADA, et al.			
				FILING DATE February 24, 2004	GROUP 2852 1756		
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
<i>m.s.</i>	AA	5,260,156	11-09-93	HASHIMOTO et al.			
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION		
	AO				YES	NO	
	AP						
	AQ						
	AR						
	AS						
	AT						
	AU						
	AV						
OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)							
	AW						
	AX						
	AY						
	AZ					<input type="checkbox"/> Additional References sheet(s) attached	
Examiner: <i>m.s. - 06</i>				Date Considered <i>1106</i>			

*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.